

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re application of: Bailey et al.

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For: SYNCHRONIZATION OF MULTIPLE
SIMULATION DOMAINS IN AN EDA
SIMULATION ENVIRONMENT

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REQUEST FOR INTERVIEW

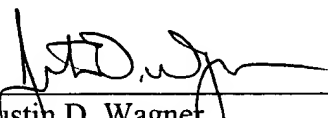
The Examiner is formally requested to contact the undersigned attorney to arrange a telephonic interview. It is believed that a brief discussion of the merits of the present application may expedite prosecution. Applicants submit the attached formal Amendment so that the Examiner may fully evaluate Applicants' position, thereby enabling the interview to be more focused.

This request is being submitted under MPEP § 713.01, which indicates that an interview may be arranged in advance by a written request.

Respectfully submitted,

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